

REMARKS

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

With consideration of the rejections raised by the Examiner, the claims have been amended as above.

Claims 3, 17 and 23 have been canceled and claim 26 has been added, so claims 2, 7, 14-16, 18-22, 24-26 are still pending in this application.

Claim 26 is written as a combination of the features written in claims 16, 21, 22, 24 and 25.

The Examiner seems to acknowledge in paragraph 27 (page 11) of the Office Action that Halteren et al. has no disclosure about the structure of “the impedance conversion provided by the second amplification means (circuit) in a combined manner with the bypass capacitor.”

In contrast, claims 14, 15 and 16 of the present invention have such a structure in which “the impedance conversion” is effectively combined with a “bypass capacitor” for realizing an “electrical suppression technique against external electromagnetic waves (RF noise).”

The references cited by the Examiner fail to teach the combination between the “impedance conversion” and “bypass capacitor.” Applicant believes that the combined teachings of the references do not present a *prima facie* case of obviousness.

In view of the above, consideration and allowance are, therefore, respectfully solicited.

In the event the Examiner believes an interview might serve to advance the prosecution of this application in any way, the undersigned attorney is available at the telephone number noted below.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees, or credit any overpayment, associated with this communication, including any extension fees, to CBLH Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 20402-00625-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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